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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Murray et al.

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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. 1.136(a))

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated September 25, 2000 be extended for a period of 3 months from December 25, 2000 to March 25, 2001.

Please charge the required fee, estimated to be \$ 890, to Novo Nordisk of North America, Inc., Deposit Account No. 14-1447. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: 20 March 2001

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